

A photograph of a funeral procession for Trooper Calvin Jenks. Several troopers in dark uniforms and hats are carrying a casket draped in an American flag. They are walking on a path lined with gravestones and flowers. The scene is set outdoors with trees and a blue sky in the background.

*In Memory of  
Trooper Calvin Jenks (4462)  
Badge No: 784*

A Goodbye To Calvin...

I got up this morning to a horrible surprise.  
My heart sank to my stomach and tears filled my eyes.

I could not believe what they said on T.V.  
How did this happen? How could this be?

My ole buddy Calvin not getting to go home.  
Lying in the roadway out there all alone.

Not one good reason they could explain.  
Just One Great Trooper on the highway was slain.

The news traveled fast with lightening speed.  
The search was on, for those who committed the deed.

Everyone was searching, checking all those cars.  
We weren't going to rest till they were behind bars.

By noon it was over, they had been caught  
But it didn't replace the friend that we'd lost.

The sorrow was still there, not going away.  
But in all our hearts is where Calvin will stay.

Now is the time to remember our friend.  
A really Great Trooper right to the end.

Goodbye Calvin, I will never forget.  
One of the greatest Troopers I have ever met.

Goodbye Calvin until we meet again.  
Go Fly with the other Angels in Heaven My Friend!!!!

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